Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached two drawing sheets include changes to Figs. 3 and 4. These sheets replace the original sheets including Figs. 3 and 4.

Attachment: Two (2) Replacement Sheets.

REMARKS

Claims 1-19 as presented in the underlying International Application No.

PCT/EP2004/052296 have been canceled, and new claims 20-40 have been added to adapt the claims of the underlying international application to U.S. practice. Appropriate amendments were made to the specification and abstract for the same purpose. Amended Figs. 3 and 4 are submitted herewith as replacement sheets for the Examiner's consideration. Amended Figs. 3 and 4 include missing segmented aperture 23 shown in Fig. 1 and discussed in paragraphs [0027] and [0028] of the specification. It is respectfully submitted that no new matter has been added.

Applicant believes that no fees are due as a result of this amendment. In the event of a fee discrepancy, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Respectfully submitted,

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